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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This reply is in response to the Office Action dated April 24, 2002.

Claims 1-16 remain as rejected.

AMENDMENTS

Please amend the Abstract as shown below. A version with markings to show changes made is attached.

Abstract (Amended) The present invention relates to methods of imparting color and ultraviolet protection to synthetic yarns or substrates. More specifically, the present invention is directed to